

## Message Text

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ACTION SS-25

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O 261929Z FEB 77  
FM AMEMBASSY NAIROBI  
TO SECSTATE WASHDC NIACT IMMEDIATE 6382

S E C R E T NAIROBI 2531

EXDIS

FOR AF ASSISTANT SECRETARY SCHAUFLE FROM CHARGE

E. O. 11652: GDS  
TAGS: PFOR, US, UG  
SUBJ: AMIN DETAINS AMERICANS

REF: STATE 043623

1. GOK OFFICIALS HAVE SUGGESTED THAT ANY EMBASSY VEHICLES SENT NEAR BORDER AREA ON FEBRUARY 28 FIRST REPORT TO DISTRICT COMMISSIONER AT BUNGOMA, WHICH IS SOME DISTANCE FROM BORDER YET MIDWAY BETWEEN TWO POSSIBLE EXIT HIGHWAYS, FOR FURTHER INSTRUCTION. WE AND GOK BELIEVE THIS WOULD BE NON-PROVOCATIVE WAY OF PREPARING FOR POSSIBLE EVACUATION OF SOME AMCITS OVERLAND.

2. EMBASSY WILL NOT, OF COURSE, SEND CARS TO BUNGOMA WITHOUT SPECIFIC INSTRUCTIONS FROM DEPARTMENT TO DO SO.  
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